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EMBASSIES FOR A/S SHATTUCK

E.O. 12356: N/A  
SUBJECT: A/S SHATTUCK VISIT TO GENEVA

REP: A) DAR ES SALAAM 02804 B) STATE 116910

1. MISSION HAS PREPARED FOLLOWING STATEMENT FOR A/S  
SHATTUCK'S MAY 7/8 VISIT TO GENEVA:

(BEGIN STATEMENT) IN RESPONSE TO INCREASING AMERICAN  
CONCERN OVER THE TRAGIC HUMAN RIGHTS SITUATION IN RWANDA  
AND TO UNDERLINE THE NEED TO STOP THE BLOODSHED IN THAT  
COUNTRY, U.S. ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF STATE FOR HUMAN  
RIGHTS AND HUMANITARIAN AFFAIRS, JOHN SHATTUCK, TRAVELLED  
TO THE REGION THIS WEEK.

DURING THE TRIP, MR. SHATTUCK CONSULTED WITH SEVERAL  
REGIONAL LEADERS. HE MET WITH SALIM A. SALIM, THE  
SECRETARY GENERAL OF THE ORGANIZATION OF AFRICAN UNITY.  
HE MET WITH OFFICIALS OF THE GOVERNMENT OF TANZANIA,  
FACILITATOR OF THE ARUSHA PEACE NEGOTIATIONS. HE  
TRAVELED TO KAMPALA TO MEET WITH KEY OFFICIALS THERE AND  
TO BUJUMBURA TO CONSULT WITH OFFICIALS OF THE GOVERNMENT  
OF BURUNDI.  
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ASSISTANT SECRETARY SHATTUCK AND HIS PARTY HAVE CONSULTED  
WITH THE NEIGHBORING GOVERNMENTS AND THE OAU ON HOW TO

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STOP THE KILLING, HOW TO ACHIEVE A CEASE-FIRE AND A RETURN TO THE NEGOTIATING TABLE, HOW TO PREVENT A SPREAD OF THE CONFLICT, AND HOW TO PROTECT AND ASSIST REFUGEES.

STOPPING IN GENEVA ON SUNDAY, MAY 8, ON HIS RETURN FROM THE REGION, ASSISTANT SECRETARY SHATTUCK WILL MEET WITH U.N. HIGH COMMISSIONER FOR HUMAN RIGHTS JOSE AYALA-LASSO TO DISCUSS HUMAN RIGHTS ASPECTS OF THE SITUATION IN RWANDA AND BURUNDI AND THE PROPOSAL OF THE SPECIAL SESSION OF THE COMMISSION OF HUMAN RIGHTS. MR. SHATTUCK ALSO WILL ATTEND A MEETING WITH SENIOR OFFICIALS OF THE INTERNATIONAL COMMITTEE OF THE RED CROSS, THE OFFICE OF THE UN HIGH COMMISSIONER FOR REFUGEES, THE DIRECTOR-GENERAL OF THE UN'S DEPARTMENT OF HUMANITARIAN AFFAIRS AND OTHER OFFICIALS TO DISCUSS HUMAN RIGHTS ISSUES AND THE INTERNATIONAL HUMANITARIAN RESPONSE TO THE FIGHTING AND RESULTING POPULATION DISPLACEMENT. (END STATEMENT)

2. WE EXPECT PRESS CONFERENCE FOLLOWING A/S SHATTUCK'S MEETINGS TO ATTRACT ABOUT A DOZEN MEDIA. TAYLOR

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